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For : SYSTEMS AND METHOD FOR
DYNAMIC BANDWIDTH
MANAGEMENT ON A PER
SUBSCRIBER BASIS IN A
COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED
EXAMINATION**

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Dear Sir:

Applicants request continued examination and submit the following amendments and comments in connection with the above-captioned application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.